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Holly HOGREFE et al.)
Application No.: 10/738,917) Group Art Unit: 1652
Filed: December 16, 2003) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
For: POLYMERASE ENHANCING FACTOR (PEF) EXTRACTS, PEF PROTEIN COMPLEXES, ISOLATED PEF PROTEIN, AND METHODS FOR PURIFYING AND IDENTIFYING) Confirmation No. 8386)))))

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